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MR. J. B. SUTTON, the Commercial Representative of the Government of the State of New South Wales, has kindly consented to deliver a Lecture on "Australia and the British Empire" at St. ANDREW'S HALL, City Hall, on MONDAY, the 28th March, at 7.30 p.m. The Honorable GORDON STEWART will take the Chair.
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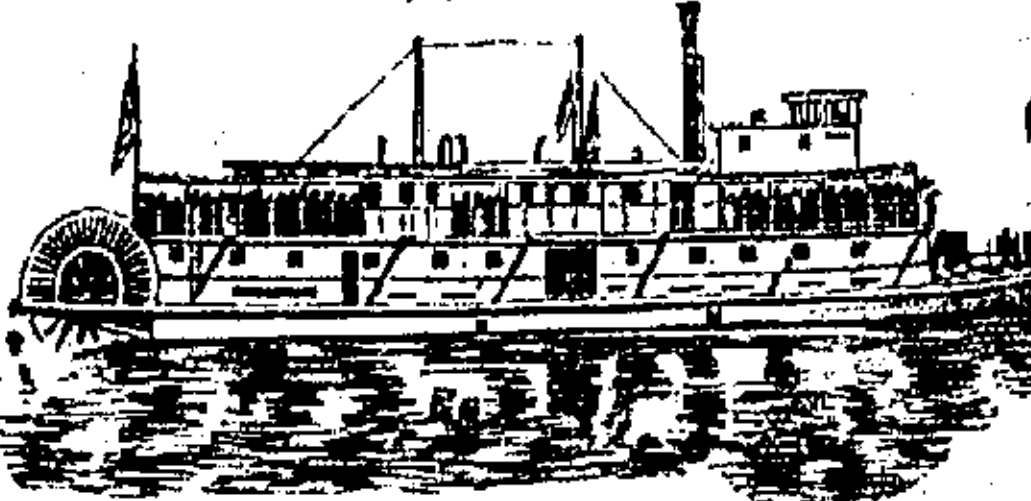
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Meeting.
9 p.m.—Meeting of Victoria Chapter.
Miscellaneous.
5 p.m.—Lecture in the City Hall.
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General Memoranda.
TUESDAY, March 29.—
Noon—Meeting of Shareholders of Bowl-
ing Club, Ltd., on Club Premises.
2.30 p.m.—Auction of Sundry Furniture,
Ac., at Mr V. L. Remedios' Sales
Rooms.
5.30 p.m.—Meeting of Eothen Mark
Lodge.
3.30 p.m.—Subscription Concert of Hong-
kong Philharmonic Society in City
Hall.
Goods per *Salazie* unclaimed after
this date at Noon will be subject to
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At Everton, Singapore on the 18th
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MARRIAGE.
On February 23rd, at Upper Berkeley,
street, London, RAPHAEL EMANUEL, son of
Hon. E. R. Bellion, C.M.G., of Hongkong,
to VERA CARLOTTA HART.

DEATH.
Died in the General Hospital, Singapore,
on 18th March, ROBERT HOLMES, aged 39
years, Chief Engineer, a.s. *Cheong Hock
Kian*.

The publication of this issue commenced
at 6.15 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, MARCH 26, 1904.

THE truth in regard to what is going
on in China at the present time, as
regards new acquisition of knowledge,
is perhaps more difficult of ascertain-
ment, and more liable to misapprehen-
sion, than any other class of related
facts. We must content ourselves,
therefore, with a mere notation of a
few which are most obvious without
that elucidating comment which ought
to be given to make them properly
intelligible. First, we should mention
the acquisition of foreign languages.

This process, never hitherto witnessed
in China on any large scale, is of im-
portance, for the reason that it is of
itself educative, that it opens many
doors hitherto largely closed, and that
it is in an important sense sym-
ptomatic. The Chinese have been long
aware of the existence of other lands,
but they never to any extent paid them
the compliment of feeling it necessary
to study their literature and language
until within the last few years. The
Japanese tongue has been represented
to the Chinese as a key which will
open to them all that is of any value
in the whole world, and doubtless there
are now in China itself hundreds—
perhaps thousands—of enthusiastic
students of that difficult speech. In
future contingencies this may be a fact
of great importance. The foreign
relieving armies had scarcely estab-
lished themselves in Peking in the
autumn of 1900 before there was
observable an inclination to 'go in
for' the study of English, of Russian,
and of Japanese. In Manchuria some
progress must have been made in
supplying the Chinese with much-
needed Russian interpreters, as is like-
wise true in Shantung in the case of
the Germans, and for a like reason.
It is superfluous to enlarge upon the
numerous avenues into the Chinese
mind thus for the first time really
opened. In the aggregate, the effect
must be far from unimportant.

It is fully two years ago that the Chi-
nese Government began to commit itself
to the reorganization of its system of
education, an innovation which threat-
ened (or rather promised) to produce
one of the most remarkable revolutions
in the intellectual history of mankind.
The Peking University was to be
reconstructed, colleges were to be set
up in the various provincial capitals,
and later on in the different pre-
fectural cities. These were to be
followed by similar institutions on a
smaller scale in the fifteen hundred
counties of the Empire, and last of all
there was to be a vast network of
village schools, feeders to all the fore-
going. When this system was complete
there would be a new and a constantly
self-renewing China. All this might
probably have been accomplished with-
out serious friction in the year of
grace 1898, according to the not im-
probable, but too summary and incident-
al, plan set forth by the Emperor in
the Reform Decrees of the summer
of that year. These were all over-
turned and countermanded in the
reaction which followed during the
autumn. When once more they were
ordered, the conditions were wholly dif-
ferent. All Chinese understand by
instinct that Imperial Edicts do not
of necessity have any substantive mean-
ing in themselves. But following so
soon after the Boxer programme, and
its reversal, and at a time when China
was smarting over the burdens of a
huge indemnity, it was too much to
expect that so radical an in-
novation would be quietly accepted,
especially as it was accompanied
by the abandonment of the an-
cient and venerable examination Essay
(one of the most perfect devices to cramp
the mind and extinguish real mental
action ever invented), and the promised
introduction of a whole range of new
and unknown Western Science. It is
not difficult for a Chinese Emperor (or
Empress Dowager) to call spirits from
the 'vast deep,' but it is highly 'un-
certain whether they will come. At all
events the educational spirits declined
to appear and for a very good reason.
They were felt to be Afrites, at present
securely bottled, but certain to do no
end of mischief once the corks should
be drawn. For this reason there has
been just as little cork-drawing as was
possible. At present the Peking Univer-
sity appears to be a perfectly inert
factor in the renaissance of China. Most
of the provincial Colleges have at least
a nominal existence, but it is hard to
say for what they really stand. That
of Tai Yuan Fu is a unique combina-
tion of an institution based upon a
missionary indemnity for the province
(voluntarily surrendered to the Chinese
for educational purposes in accordance
with the suggestion of Dr. Timothy
Richard) and a Government University
of the usual pattern. For ten years,
Dr. Richard is to be the head of the
former half, the promise of which under
the competent management of Presi-
dent Duncan is gratifying.

In Chihli the whole provincial and
prefectural system has been put by
Gov. Gen. Yuan Shih Kai in the
hands of Dr Charles D. Tenney, whose
long experience in founding and
managing the Tientsin University, has
placed him in a class of educators by
himself. We are told that there are
now properly organized Middle Schools
in eight of the ten prefectural cities,
and in five sub-prefectural cities as well.
These are mainly manned with Dr
Tenney's former pupils, and with others
from the Naval College. The course
studied includes geography, mathema-
tics, English, athletics, and military
drill, and covers four years, after which
the students are drafted to the pro-
vincial College at Pao Ting Fu, or that
at Tientsin. At the former city there
are now some 350 students on the
books, and at Tientsin 100, the four-
teen Middle Schools representing some
700 more. New classes are soon to be
added, when it is hoped that the roll
will comprise more than 1500, a body
sufficiently large to influence the
history of their country in many ways.
The opposition to the new educational
plans has manifested itself both
positively and negatively. Since the
Empress Dowager has come to feel that
revolutionary ideas are an almost
integral part of the 'New Learning,' it
is instinctively understood that no
real progress will be made with it.
That there is some ground for Chinese
suspicion on this point, does not mend
matters. Autocratic power is able
to assert itself in beating to death a
'reformer' in the Board of Punishments
at Peking, merely because he is a re-
former, and the effect of it is at once
manifest in the utmost extremities of
the Empire. That the Chinese find it
difficult to assimilate large masses of
novel conceptions, and rightly to apply
them to current political problems, is
not at all surprising. The
case of the editors of the *Su Pao* in
Shanghai, who were proved to have
used the most inflammatory language
in regard to the Emperor, with the
doubtless entirely patriotic idea of
arousing the people to a sense of the
danger of the Empire, is a concrete in-
stance which tends to indefinite and
perilous duplication. In a land like
China at least ninety per cent of the
effect of an Imperial Decree necessari-
ly depends upon the personnel of those
who are to carry it out. When, as in
the new educational scheme, these
persons are for the most part either in-
competent, indifferent or actively hos-
tile, very little will be accomplished.
The fact that the present plan is in-
herently unphilosophical and propo-
sition, does not at present attract the
attention of the Chinese as it does that
of foreigners. To found universities and
Colleges, hoping by their means to
develop primary schools for an Empire,
is one of the most uneducational vag-
aries ever gravely instituted, yet under
favorable conditions it might perhaps be
done. The Imperial command to ex-
patriate the greater part of the temple
lands of the Chinese Empire for the sup-
port of county and other schools, is a
sociological phenomenon of the first im-
portance. Like other items in the com-
plex scheme this is not yet only imper-
fectly and crudely under-
taken. But despite all allowances which
are to be made for accidental and in-
herent defects in this great innovation,
it is undeniably a sign of great social
progress.

There are here the potentialities of
vast changes. Not Government educa-
tion all or nearly all that has to be
reckoned with. The new spirit is
abroad in the Empire, and is quietly but
surely leaving the mighty body of the
Chinese people. Sooner or later its re-
sults will be seen on a large scale. In
this connection mention should be made
of a growing tendency on the part of
the Chinese to introduce industrial
education. One of the Shanghai jour-
nals mentioned in November last that
it was reported that the Government of
Hunan intended to establish an indus-
trial institution for the instruction of
convicts in trades, and another for the
training of tramps! The fact that such
a plan is broached is itself significant.
The success, after preliminary struggles
and apparent defeat, of Mr. Huang, in
his industrial institution in Peking, is
an object lesson for all China, which
those who have examined it will not
readily forget. To see beggars picked
up on the streets working in the manu-
facture of cloisonné and becoming ex-
ports in this art is assuredly a new
thing in China. Within the past few

years, many officials have probably been
moved by reading Dr. Faber's 'Civili-
zation East and West,' and other simi-
lar essays, to endeavour to make some
use of the criminals and semi-criminals
kept in detention, and many of them,
at least, have partially succeeded, al-
though their successors in most instances
perhaps ridiculed the enterprise, and put
a stop to it. Yet for all that, every
such step taken is real social
progress in embryo, and it only
requires enough of them, and favour-
able conditions, to work mighty changes
in China. That sooner or later these
are to be brought about, we must re-
gard as certain as anything Chinese can
well be.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Lieut.-Colonel Ferrand.

The sudden death at Peshawar of
Lieutenant-Colonel Ferrand, I.M.S., from
heart disease is reported from Calcutta.

Acting Puisne Judge.

The appointment of Mr T. Sorcombe
Smith to act as Puisne Judge during the
absence of Mr Justice A. G. Wise has been
gazetted.

Magisterial Changes.

Mr R. H. J. Gompertz will act as
First Police Magistrate and Coroner, and
Mr J. H. Kemp as Second Police Magi-
strate from April 1, until Mr T. Sorcombe
Smith's return from the Supreme Court.

Bowling.

The first half of the match between the
Club and the Navy bowling teams was roll-
ed off last night at the Hongkong Club.
At the end of the play the Club led by 184
pins. The other four will roll to-night.

Army Retirements.

The retirement of the following is
gazetted: Colonel B. C. Graves from 30th
January; Lieutenant-Colonel J. S. Ashley
from 23rd March, and Major Battiscombe
from 5th April; Colonel C. W. Carr-
Calthrop, I.M.S., from 2nd April.

Japanese and Russians Contrasted.

Mr A. R. Colquhoun writes in the
Morning Post (London):—If the game is
to be a waiting one the Russians have ad-
vantages of mental and physical calibre
which will make a good balance for the
pluck and determination of their foes.

Easter Holidays.

A notice appears in the Government
Gazette to the effect that Friday, the 1st,
and Monday, the 4th of April, being
public holidays will be observed as Govern-
ment holidays. Saturday, April 2nd, has
been gazetted a holiday throughout the
Government Departments excepting the
Magistracy.

Plague in Formosa.

The Colonial Secretariat sends us the
following copy of a telegram received from
the British Consul at Amoy, Formosa:—
Plague prevalent in Tainan District, none
in Amoy. Takow: temporary medical
inspection of passengers leaving Amoy for
Japan only enforced from March 10.—
BRITISH CONSUL.

A Regimental Monthly.

The Editor of *The Yellow Dragon* will
be interested in the following paragraph:—
The 2nd Battalion of the North Stafford-
shire Regiment, the old 98th, have started
a monthly regimental paper called, appro-
priately, the *China Dragon*, from the con-
nection of the regiment with the China war
of 1842. The first number is quite a good
one, and promises well for the success of
the paper.

The Hankow-Canton Railway.

With reference to the official *Journal*
from Brussels with regard to the action of
the Belgian stockholders in the Hankow-
Canton Railway, I desire to telegraph to the
Shanghai Correspondent of *The Times*, to
state that the information contained in my
messages dated Dec. 24 and Jan. 13 was
based on trustworthy documentary evi-
dence, *inter alia* on a despatch from the
Chinese Minister in Washington to Sheng,
dated November 14.

Calcutta Storm-Swept.

A Calcutta telegram dated 10th inst.
says:—A storm of great severity passed
over Calcutta last night, accompanied by
heavy rain. Much damage was done, the
fall extent of which is not yet ascertained.
Warren's Circus was totally wrecked, and
indescribable confusion prevailed among
the large audience, who got away amidst
pelting rain. Koolman's Columbia Rink
was also wrecked, the tent being blown to
pieces. The extent of the disaster on the
river has yet to be ascertained.

He (after the proposal):—But I'm afraid I
am not good enough for you, darling. She
—Of course you are not. But you are
too good to be thrown away on any other
girl.

Don't Fool With It.

[T] will not do to fool with a bad cold.
No one can tell what the end will be.
Pneumonia, clearly, chronic bronchitis,
and consumption invariably result from
a neglected cold. As a medicine for the
cure of colds, coughs, and influenza, no-
thing can compare with Chamberlain's
Cough Remedy.
A cough is not a disease, but a sym-
ptom. It indicates that the lungs and
bronchial tubes are inflamed. This in-
flammation often leads to pneumonia.
The quickest way to ward off pneumonia
is to use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy
on the first appearance of the cough or
cold. It always cures, and cures quickly.
For sale by all chemists and medicine ven-
dors. WATSON, Ltd., General Agents.

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Notes by the Way.

To-morrow is Palm Sunday.

Sir William Mather, Member for Ros-
endale, has resigned.

The Egyptian surplus for the year
1903 amounted to £1,867,721.

King Edward has presented the Em-
peror of Korea with a monster silver cup,
as a birthday present.

Lieut. G. P. Lammett, H.V.O., has
been granted leave of absence from April
1 to July 20, 1904.

Mr P. W. Goldring has been gazetted
a member of the Wong-wei-chong and
Queen's Recreation Grounds, vice Mr F.
Brown, resigned.

The late Mr George Martin Lind, of
the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, left
estate of the gross value of £2,462, and
£2,206 net personally.

Mr P. N. H. Jones has been appointed
to act as Director of Public Works from
April 1, when the Hon. Wm. Chatham
goes on leave of absence.

General Villiers Hatton will be pleased
to note that the Committee of the Hong-
kong Schools Athletic Sports have knighted
him, raising him prophetically to K.C.B.

During the absence of Mr G. A.
Woodcock, Mr T. A. Hamner and G. N.
Orme will act as Secretary and Assistant
Secretary of the Sanitary Board respec-
tively.

Owing to the zoning retirement of the
Hon. C. W. S. Kynnerley, Mr H. Con-
way Bellfield has, it is reported, been
selected to act as Resident-General of the
Federated Malay States.

Lord Roberts served for over fifty-two
years in the Army. He fought in seven
great campaigns, and took part in over
fifty battles in India, Afghanistan, Burma,
Abyssinia and South Africa.

In consequence of many accidents
with big guns, the United States Navy
Department has ordered the reduction of
the initial velocity of the projectiles of
13-inch guns from 2300 feet to 2000 feet.

A notification appears in the Govern-
ment Gazette to the effect that as the time
allowed for application for permission to
re-erect piers demolished under the Praya
Reclamation Ordinance of 1899 has long
since passed, no further application will be
entertained by the Government.

The engagement is announced of Miss
Sybil Townsend, youngest daughter of Mr
A. M. Townsend, of the Hongkong and
Shanghai Banking Corporation, to Mr
Robert Blackwell, of Brooks Hill, Harrow
Weald. The *L. and O. Express* under-
stands that the wedding will take place
soon after Easter.

Mr Sutor's Lecture.

We would remind our readers of the
Odd Volumes-lecture is St. Andrew's Hall
by Mr Sutor, on Monday afternoon, at 5
o'clock.

European Y.M.C.A.

Mr F. S. Brockman, National Sec-
retary for China, will speak to-morrow at 2.45
in the room of the H.K.C.U., Besconfield
Avenue. All members and other young
men are cordially invited.

Victoria Recreation Club.

We would remind intending com-
petitors that the entries for the forth-
coming sports, held under the auspices of
the above club, will close on Monday,
the 28th inst., at 6 p.m. sharp.

Hongkong Christian Union.

The usual devotional meeting will be
held on Monday evening, at 8.15, in the
room of the Union, Besconfield Avenue,
and will be conducted by the Rev. D.
Willard Lyon. All are cordially invited.

Alice Memorial Hospital.

The Hon. Treasurer of the Alice
Memorial and Nethercole Hospitals begs
to acknowledge with thanks the following
donations to the funds of the Hospitals:—
Rev. G. A. Bunbury \$ 30
G. O. Moxon 10

The Late Mr Stripling.

There are still a few old residents of
Shanghai who will read with regret the
news of the death at Seoul on the 18th
inst. of Mr A. B. Stripling (says the *N. C.*
Daily News). Mr Stripling was for some
time in the Seventies Deputy-Superintendent
of Police here under Mr. Penfold, and was
universally liked and respected. He joined
to Corea early in the eighties and spent
the Customs service, remaining there with
varying fortunes, and making one or two
brief visits to Shanghai, until his death.
He became very infirm in later years, but
never lost his unfailing good-temper and
kindness of disposition, and there will be
general sorrow in Corea at his death.

ALANZOD.—Gummy, do you think your
sister would make me a Gummy? Was
she a party dancer? And why? I mean
she said she was a Gummy, and I thought
she was a Gummy.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEERS.

Inspection and Parade.

The Hongkong Volunteer Corps were in-
spected to-day by Major-General Villiers
Hatton, C.B., on the Parade Ground. The
men were mustered at the Volunteer Head-
quarters and marched down to the Parade
Ground where they were drawn up in parade
order. Major G. G. Pritchard was in com-
mand of the men, the other officers present
being Major A. Chapman, 2nd in Com-
mand, Capt. O. Ordish, D. Macdonald, R.
Mitchell, J. H. W. Armstrong, T. Skinner,
Lieutenant G. P. Lammett, W.
Nicholson, J. W. L. Oliver, W. A. Crane,
M. S. Northcote, E. G. Barrett, W. M.
Scott, J. A. T. Plummer, and Surgeon E.
A. R. Lally.

There was a good muster of men, about
170 turning out. About 3 p.m., Major-
General Villiers Hatton, accompanied by
his A.D.C., Lieut. E. S. Ward, 2nd
Grenadier Guards, arrived and was welcom-
ed by a general salute.

The inspection of the men and accom-
tments followed, after which the men march-
ed past.

The Major-General addressed a few
words to the men and shortly afterwards
they were dismissed.

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An Intrepid Sportswoman.

Lady Jenkins, the wife of the Chief
Justice of Bombay, is now on a big game
shooting trip in the Nizam's dominions.

Naval Appointments.

The *World* says:—Another vacancy
among the aides-de-camp to the King may
be looked forward to shortly, when Cap-
tain Foote gets flag rank. This is pretty
sure to go to Captain Fisher. Among
other officers believed to be noted for this
distinction, as opportunities occur for pro-
viding for them, are Captains Bayly,
Montgomery, and Callaghan. All these
officers have been more than ten years in
their present rank, and have strong claims
on the consideration of 'My Lords.'
Captain Foote, now senior aide-de-camp,
has worn the aiguillette since January,
1902.

Illness of a Straits Official.

The *Singapore Free Press* of the
19th inst. says:—In consequence of the
illness of Mr G. T. Hare, Protector of Chi-
nese, Mr Warren Barnes has come down to
set here. Mr Hare will go home as soon
as he can possibly get away and Mr Barnes,
who arrived on Thursday, will probably
take over either to-day or Monday. This
leaves a vacant post in the Federal Secre-
tariat. The *Malay Mail* says 'it will be
interesting to see who gets the acting ap-
pointment. Mr Watson, Mr Wilkinson or
Captain Talbot are the only available
Federal Officers. Of these Mr Wilkinson
is the most likely.'

Boxing and Fighting.

The *Straits Times* evidently see a
great distinction between boxing and fight-
ing, as witness the following paragraph
clipped from that journal:—

On the 6th instant a boxing match came
off at Hongkong between C. St. Clair,
Middleweight Champion of Brooklyn,
U.S.A., and D. Morgan, of H.M.S. Ven-
geance, Heavyweight Champion of China
Station. These men were down to box the
best of twenty three-minute rounds for
\$1,000 a side and a purse. After several
rounds, one of the combatants lost his tem-
per and a disgraceful scene resulted in the
match degenerating into a fight. The police
then stopped further boxing.

An Interesting Wedding.

At the Jewish Synagogue, Upper
Berkeley St., London, the wedding of Miss
Vera Hart, daughter of Sir Israel and
Lady Hart, and Mr. Raphael E. Bellion,
son of Mr E. R. Bellion, was solemnized on
February 23. The service was fully choral
and the synagogue was lavishly decorated
with white flowers, as also was the beau-
tiful white and gold canopy beneath which,
according to the Jewish custom, the
ceremony was performed. Among the
numerous guests invited were the Japanese
Minister and Viscountess Hayashi; Sir
William Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Rouben
Basson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sassoon and
Sir Hiram and Lady Maxim. The officiat-
ing priests were the Rev. Morris Joseph
and the Rev. J. Harris. While the register
was being signed Dr. Veredier a setting of
the 150th Psalm, 'Hallelujah,' was sung
by the choir, and Mendelssohn's Wedding
March was played as the newly wedded
pair left the building. Sir Israel and Lady
Hart entertained the relations and friends
of both families at their residence at
Holland Park, and in the course of the day
Mr. and Mrs. Raphael E. Bellion started
on their way to the south of France and
Italy.

Rheumatic Sufferers.

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Shark, —Sa Yu	10	魚翅
Skate, —Po Yu	9	鮑魚
Shrimps, —Ha	20	蝦
Snapper, —Lap Yu	24	立魚
Soles, —Tat Sa Yu	22	立沙魚
Tench, —Wan Yu	...	...	14	蛇魚
Turbot, —Cho How Yu	...	...	18	左口魚
Turtles, small, fresh water, —Kerk Yu	...	...	70	左口魚
White Bait, —Ngan Yu O	...	...	—	銀魚仔

Fruits.				菓子
Almonds, —Hung Yan	...	...	20	杏仁
Apples, (California) —Kam San Ping Kho	...	...	60	金山平果
„ (Chefoo) —Tin Chun Ping Khor	...	...	—	天津平果
„ Small, —Hoi Tong	...	...	—	海棠
„ Cistard, —Fan Lai Chi	...	...	each	香荔枝
Bananas, fragrant, Canton, —San Shing Heung Chiu	...	...	3	省城香蕉
Bananas, (rides), Macao —San Heung Chia	...	...	—	山城香蕉
Chestnuts, Chinese, —Fong Lut	...	...	10	風栗
Carambola, —Young Tau	...	...	—	楊子
Cocoanuts, —Yeh Tse	...	...	each 10	椰子
Lemons, China, —Ning Moong	...	...	4	檸檬
„ America —Kum San Ning Moon...	...	...	5	金山檸檬
Lichees, Dried, —Lai Chi Con	...	...	15	荔枝乾
„ Fresh —	...	...	—	荔枝
Limes, (Saigon) —Sai Kung Ning Moong...	...	...	6	西貢青檸
Mango, Manila, —Lui Sung Moong	...	...	each	呂宋芒果
Mango, Saigon —Sai Kung Moong...	...	...	—	西貢芒果
Man oestees, —San Chuk Tek	...	...	dozen	山竹子
Oranges, (Canton) —San Shing Tim Chang	...	...	6	省城橙
„ Small, —Tai Kut	...	...	8	大桔
Olives, —Pak Lam	...	...	4	白橄
Pears, (American) —Kam San Shut Li	...	...	—	金山雪梨
„ (Canton), Cooking, —Sa Li	...	...	—	沙梨
„ (Shanghai), —Sheung Hai L.	...	...	10	上海生
Peanuts, —Fu Sang	...	...	—	花生
Perseimons Large, —Hung Chie	...	...	—	紅柿
Pine-apples, 1st quality, —Sheung Poon Ti	...	...	each	本地酸
„ 2nd cooking —Chung-paw-law	...	...	—	中等大
Plantains, —Tai Cheu	...	...	2	大蕉
Plums, —Swatow Hung Lai...	...	...	—	紅梨
Pumelo, Siam, —Chim Lo Yau	...	...	10	暹羅柚
Walnuts, —Hop Tuo	...	...	12	合桃
„ Green, —Sang Hop Tuo	...	...	—	生合桃

Vegetables, &c.				菜蔬
Artichokes, Shanghai —Sheung Hai Ah	...	...	4	丁治
„ Chi Cheuk	...	...	—	澳門蓮
Beans, (French), Macao, —Oh Moon Pin To	...	...	5	澳門蓮

(French), Shanghai, —Sheung Hai	上海邊
" Pin Tau	2
" Sprout, —Ah Choi	2
" Long, —Tau Kok	2
" Beet Root, —Hung Choi Lau	each 2
Brinjals, Green, —Ching Yuen Ker	—
" Red, —Hung Ker... ..	3
Brassica, —Pak Choi... ..	3
Bamboo Shoots, —Cheuk Shun	9
Cabbage, Chinese, com. —Kai Chow	5
Cabbage Root, —Kai Lan Tau	each 2
Cabbage, (Shanghai). —Yeh Choi	7
Cane Shoots, bunch, —Kai Shun	—
Cauliflower, Large size, —Tai Yek Choi-fa	each 5
" Medium size, —Cheung Yeh Cho-fa	18
" Small size, —Sai Yeh Choi-fa	15
Carrots, —Kam Shun	4
Celery, Chinese, —Tong Kam Choi	4
" English, —Yung	6
" White, —Pak	16
Chilies Dried, —Com Lai Chi	25
" Red, —Hang Fa	28
" Green, —Ching Lat Chiu	20
Curry Stuff, English, —Ha Lee Choi Liu... ..	5
Cucumbers, —Ching Kwa	4
Bitter Squash, —Fu Kwa	20
Garlic, —Suen Tau	6

Ginger, young, —Sun Tze Kung ...	—	新子薑
" old, —Lo Kueung ...	4	老力薑
Horse Radish, S'hai—Lik Kan ...	18	馬力菜
Indian Corn,—Suk Mai ...	place	洋生米
Lettuce,—Young Sang Choi ...	'ach	生菜
Water Chestnuts,—Ma Tai ...	4	水花生
" Mandarin,—Kwei Lim MaTet, ...	8	維林馬特
Mushrooms, Fresh—Sang Cho Kho ...	—	生鮮蘑菇
Onions, Bombay,—Yeung Ching an ...	7	生鮮洋蔥
" Green,—Sang Chung ...	3	生鮮青蔥
" Shanghai,—Sneong Hai Chung Tsai ...	—	上海青
" Japan,—Yu' Poon ...	—	日本青
Okroes,—Mo Ker... ..	—	毛茄
Parsley, English,—Yung Un Sal per Bundle ...	1	方葉芹
Parsley,—Kim Choi ...	6	方葉芹
Green Peas,—Ching Tsai ...	6	綠豆
Potatoes, Sweet,—Fan Shui ...	2	甘薯
" Shanghai,—Sheung Hai Shin Tsai ...	—	上海青
" Japan,—Yut Poor Shin Tsai ...	—	日本青
" American,—Fa Ki ...	—	美國青
" Foochow,—Fuk Chau au Tsai ...	—	福州青
" Macao,—Oh Moon ...	—	澳門青
Pumpkin,—Toong Kwa ...	4	南瓜
Radish,—Hung Lo Pak Tsai ...	dices	紅蘿蔔
Rhubarb (Fresh)—Tai Wong ...	15	大黃
Schalots,—Con Chung Tsai ...	* 4	乾葱
Spinages, (Chinese)—Paw Choi ...	—	菠菜
Spinach,—Yin Choi ...	4	菠菜
Tomatoes,—Fan Ker ...	7	番茄
Taroos,—Wu Tsau ...	—	芋頭
Turnips, Purple, (Long),—Low Pak ...	—	紫甘藍
" English,—Jung Low Pak ...	place	白甘藍
Vegetable Marrow,—Chi Kwa ...	—	茭瓜
Water Cress,—Sal Yeung Choi ...	4	西洋菜
" Lily root,—Lun Ngan ...	6	百合根
Yams,—Ta Shui ...	6	山藥

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Potatoes, Sweet, - Fan Shu	2	上海
" Shanghai, - Sheung Hai Shn Tsal	...	1	上海
" Japan, - Yut Poot Shn Tsa	...	1	日本
" American, - Fa Ki	...	1	美國
" Foochow, - Fuk Chao ou Tsal	...	1	福州
" Macao, - Oh Moon	...	1	澳門
Pumpkin, - Toong Kwa ...	...	4	香港
Radish, - Hung Lo Pak Tsal ...	...	2	紅菜
Rhubarb (Fresh) - Tai Wong ...	...	15	大根
Shalots, - Chin Chung Tsa ...	...	4	乾蔥
Spinages, - (On Onions) - Paw Choi	...	4	乾蔥
Spinach, - Yin Choi	...	4	乾蔥
Tomatoes, - Fan Ker ...	...	7	海菜
Taro, - Wu Tsa ...	...	3	芋頭
Turnips, Punt, (Long), - Low Pak	...	3	蘿蔔
" English, - Jeng Low Pak	...	3	蘿蔔
Vegetable Marrow, - Chit Kwa	1	荷蘭豆
Water Cresses, - Sai Yung Chai	...	4	水菜
" Lily root, - Lan Ngan	5	百合
Yams, - Tai Hui	5	薯蓣

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